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RESPONSE

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO THE EXAMINER'S OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action dated May 27, 2005, designated as 23052005 in the above-captioned application, please enter the following amendments and Remarks as follows:

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Applicant believes that no extension of time is necessary to make this Response timely. Should Applicant be in error, Applicant respectfully requests that the Office grant such time extension pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) as necessary to make this Reply timely, and hereby authorizes the Office to charge any necessary fee or surcharge with respect to said time extension to the deposit account of the undersigned firm of attorneys, Deposit Account 03-3325.

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Respectfully submitted,

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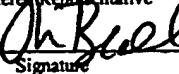
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